the left bank of the Timok in the vinity of Dronovats.

There is no change in the neighborhood of Pirot.

Attacks on the southern Morava were repulsed. \(\frac{1}{2}\) Two unofficial despatches to-day asert Serbian successes. These, however, are contradictory to the latest official Serbian reports and the German and Bulgarian statements. One declares that the Bulgarian forces which were endeavoring to Join the Austro-Germans in the northwest have been repulsed by the Serblans and that consequently the Toutons rootroped. Teutons postponed their own advance, hoping the Bulgarians would yet get

The other despatch, coming from Sa-Jonica, asserts that the French and Serbian forces have joined hands at Krivolak and struck the invaders' left wing. The Bulgarians are said to be fleeing before the Serbo-French forces toward Strumnitza. At Pojarevac, in the north, the Germans are also said to on the defensive.

following despatch was received The French defeated the Bulgarians "The French defeated the Bulgarians on Sunday along a front from Ondovo to Krivolak after a twenty-four hour battle, according to news from Salon-fea to-day. The Bulgarians fell back on Robova with heavy losses. The French, pursuing, later occupied Robova. They were still pursuing the Bulgarians to-day, it was stated.

The latest official report of the Bulgarian War Office received here this afternoon reads as follows:

oon reads as follows: Our troops inflicted a decisive de-feat on the Serbian troops in the neighborhood of Uskub. We finally

cupied the town. Occupied the town.

The enemy, with more than 500 men killed or wounded, was thrown back on the Katsoharik defile. Our troops are pursuing them impetuously in that

On the other fronts there are no important changes.

REPORT BULGAR CHECK. Invaders Defeated in Knyrill Sector, Say Athens Despatches.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, Oct. 26 (Tuesday) .- Athen reports, which usually need discounting assert that the Bulgars are being held generally and have been specifically de-feated in the Kuprili sector. Their two which to destroy the railroad. The Nish

Salonica line is now open.

It is also reported that Dedeagatch
was bombarded again last Saturday. The mail service has been practically de Athens says that the Crown Princ

with his staff and a second Greek divi-sion sailed from Salonica vesterday.

One of the points in the situation most
commented on here is the German assertion that the Drina was forced at Vise It is recognized that such an extension of the general movement seriously imperils the retreat of the Serbs south of the Danube, grad and the bridgehead there widened

SOFIA MAKES PROTEST. Says Towns Shelled by Allies Were "Open" and Undefended.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. Ansternam, via London, Oct. 25.—German newspapers publish a despatch from Sofia stating that the Bulgarian Premier, M. Radoslavoff, has instructed the Bulgarian Ministers abroad to protest against the bombardment of Dedeatists, and Poet Larges and the damage. gatch and Port Lagos and the damage sessing means of resistance and did not

reply to the warships' fire.

It is recalled that the Koclnische graphed to his paper on October 23 announcing the bombardment and said that "the Bulgarian batteries replied."

RUMANIAN CRISIS NEAR. Threatens Cabinet Upheaval.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. BUCHAREST, Oct. 25 .- It is stated here to-day that Cabinet crisis is probable owing to the resignation of the pro-German Ministers, who realize that in-tervention on the side of the Allies is inevitable.

BARS BULGAR FREIGHT.

Rumania, Retaliating for Neighbor's Action, Stops Transit. BUCHAREST, via London, Oct. 25 .-An official statement given out here on October 22 announced that as Bulgaria had suspended transit of goods at Salonica destined for Rumania the

TURKS AMBUSH A PATROL.

Part Killed and Remainder Driven Back, Constantinople Reports. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. CONSTANTINOPLE, via Amsterdam and London, Oct. 25.—The Turkish War Office issued the following bulletin to-

In the Dardanelles, at Anafarta, we ambushed an enemy patrol, kill-ing part of it and driving the reder back to the enemy

Hostile destroyers bombarded some ADALBERT SUNK: FEW SAVED.

Berlin Admits Submarine Destroyed German Cruiser Off Libau.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SEN BERLIN, Via London, Oct. 25 .- The ollowing official statement was issued

to-day:

Staff, dated October 23, states that the cruiser Prinz Adalbert was sunk by two shots from an enemy sub-marine off Libau, Unfortunately only a small portion of the crew could be

Naval records give the complement of the Prinz Adalbert as 557 men. Petrograd despatch says she was sunk

GERMANY REPUDIATES AIRMAN

Apologizes for Attack on Swiss Town and Promises Indemnity. BERN, Oct. 25 .- The German Gov. ernment has expressed its "deep regret

for the recent act of a German aviator in dropping bombs on Chaux de Fonds and has promised indemnity for the death or injury of Swiss citizens and The German Minister explained that imself over French territory and that e and his observer had been punished

POPE WINS SABBATH APPEAL

on Sundays has been successful.

The belligerents, who hitherto have allowed a weekly rest day, have now fixed on Sunday so that all war prisoners can attend religious services.

DWINSK AND RIGA SAFE, SAY RUSSIANS

Germans. However. Resist Attacks and Hold Positions

Already Gained.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, Oct. 25.—Despatches from Petrograd to-day indicate that the Rus sian troops are more than holding their own on the entire front south of Dwinsk, while maintaining their positions in the while maintaining their positions in the vicinity of Riga, in the face of determined attacks by the Germans.

Russian military authorities apparently are minimizing the effect of the capture of Illuxt by the Germans. A furious battle is in progress north and south of Dwinsk, but the city's position, according to the Petrograd advices, remains attacks.

careful to avoid claims which might in a few days prove to be exaggerations. From the Russian capital comes the semi-official comment: "It is unwise to venture a prediction, since the future may bring unexpected results and even change the entire

position, through a break on one sid or the other. Everything depends of or the other. Everything depends of course on how the position shapes itself during the fighting now in progress." The following statement with regard to the eastern theatre of war was issued by the German War Office to-day

Army group of Field Marshal von Hindenburg: We repulsed the Rus-sians southeast of Riga. Russian counter attacks upon the Dvinsk po-sitions which we captured on October 23 fails. 23 failed. Weak German advance forces north

of lliuxt withdrew to the western bank of the river.
North of Lake Drisiata the Russians attacked unsuccessfully.

The positions of the army group of
Prince Leopold of Bavaria are un-

Even to-day's German official state-ment indicates that the Russians are now on the offensive on one part of the Riga front. It says that Field Marshal von Hindenburg's troops have repulsed attacks coutheast of the city. The Ger-mans, according to this report, succeeded mans, according to this report, succeeded mans, according to this report, succeeded also in retaining positions northwest of Dwinsk, captured two days ago, although the Czar's troops made determined attacks. The number of prisoners taken by the Teutons was increased to 222 officers and 3,705 men, and twelve machine, some and contract the war. machine guns and one mine thrower

were captured.

The Austrian official statement of operations in Russia was as follows: In the Russian theatre, near Novo Alexiniec, we recaptured the heights near Lopaszno, which we evacuated Friday. Near Czartorysk our attacks are progressing. Near Kimarow we repulsed the enemy. Otherwise the situation is unchanged.

LEGION CROSS FOR AMERICAN.

the transit of Bulgarian goods destined

Special Cable Despatch to THE SEV.

Paris, Oct. 25.—Senator Henri Berenger has given notice that he will interpellate the Government on "government abuses in applying the law regulating indiscretions of the press with regard to military and political

NEW CABINET FOR FRANCE? Important Changes in Ministry Foreshadowed by the "Temps."

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. Paris, Oct. 25.—The Temps of to-day ditorially foreshadows Ministerial

ub-Lieutenant, Nephew of Alfred, Fails-Had Won Military Cross. Paris, Oct. 25.—Sub-Lieut. Emile Dreyfus, nephew of Alfred Dreyfus, has

GERMANY TO CONTROL FOOD. Bureau to Regulate Distribution of Potatoes, Milk and Butter.

BERLIN, Via Amsterdam, Oct. 25 .- The Sunday to Be Day of Rest for All Prisoners of War.

Special Cable Despatch to The Sun.

ROME, Oct. 25.—The Osservatore Romano, the organ of the Vatican, 4m nounced to-day that the Pope's appeal to the belligerent nations to grant a complete rest for all prisoners of war on Sundays has been successful.

The belligerents, who hitherto have allowed a weekly rest day, have now fixed on Sunday so that all war prisoners can attend religious services.

Tickets like those introduced for bread

Tickets like those introduced for bread THERES INC. THOUSENED BY BARGAIN. 1709 B'way.

LIMOUSINE BODIES FOR ALL CARS.

NEW & USED. By Bargains. 1709 B'way.

For the poorer classes at a reasonable price will be assured.

AUSTRIAN DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENCE GIVES NEW REASONS FOR ITALY'S WAR ENTHUSIASM

Continued from First Page.

kans by Austria but also by reason of "advantages of a non-territorial charac-

While this telegram was sent on De-While this telegram was sent on December 9, 1914, it was not by any means the first step in the long discussion regarding compensations to Italy for Austria's Balkan action. Immediately after the delivery of the ultimatum to Serbia the Italian Ambussador at Vienna was instructed to take up the question. Several months were spent in what seems at this date to have been a purely academic discussion of the meaning of a certain phrase in Article VII. of the Triple Alliance treaty. This treaty, on which outwardly at least the entire negotiations and Italy's final break were based, reads as follows: FURIOUS BATTLE RAGING

Austria-Hungary and Italy, being desirous solely that the territorial status quo in the Near East be maintained as much as possible, pledge themselves to exert their influence to prevent all territorial modification which may prove detrimental to one or the other of the Powers signatory to this treaty. To that end they shall communicate to one another all such information as may be suitable for their mutual enlightenment concerning their own dispositions as well as those of other Powers. Should, however, the status quo in the regions of ever, the status quo in the regions of the Balkans or of the Turkish coasts and islands in the Adriatic and Ægean seas in the course of events become impossible; and should Aus-tria-Hungary or Italy be placed under the necessity, either by the action of a third Power or otherwise, to mod ify that status quo by a temporary or permanent occupation on their part such occupation shall take place only after a previous agreement has been made between the two Powers, based on the principle of reciprocal compen-sation for all advantages, territorial or otherwise, which either of them may obtain beyond the present status quo, a compensation which shall sat-isfy the legitimate interests and as-pirations of both parties.

Clash on Interpretation.

Austria immediately objected to the Italian reading of the sentence begin-ning "should, however, the status quo in the region of the Balkans." A tele-

Friday. Near Czartorysk our attacks are progressing. Near Kimarow we repulsed the enemy. Otherwise the situation is unchanged.

*Following the words 'dans les regions des Balcans' the same Art. VII. says: 'Des cotes et des lies ottomanes dans la Mer Egge.' This specific mention of Turkish territory implicitly excludes the coasts and islands of other States from the provisions of that article and must be accepted as proof that the words 'dans les regions and islands of other States from the provisions of that article and must be accepted as proof that the words 'dans les regions des Balcans' the same Art. VII. says: 'Des cotes et des lies ottomanes dans la Mer Egge.' This specific mention of Turkish territory implicitly excludes the coasts and islands of other States from the provisions of that article and must be accepted as proof that the words 'dans les regions des Balcans' the same Art. VII. says: 'Des cotes et des lies ottomanes dans la States from the provisions of that article and must be accepted as proof that the words 'dans les regions des Balcans' the same Art. VII. says: 'Des cotes et des lies ottomanes dans la States from the provisions of that article and must be accepted as proof that the words 'dans les regions des Balcans' the same Art. VII. says: 'Des cotes et des lies ottomanes dans la States from the provisions of that article and must be accepted as proof that the words 'dans les regions des Balcans' the same Art. VII. says: 'Des cotes et des lies ottomanes dans la States from the provisions of that article and must be accepted as proof that the words 'dans les regions des Balcans' the same Art. VII. says: 'Des cotes et des lies ottomanes dans les regions des Balcans' the same Art. VII. says: 'Des cotes et des lies ottomanes dans les regions des Balcans' the same Art. VII. says: 'Des cotes et des lies ottomanes dans les regions des Balcans' the same Art. VII. says: 'Des cotes et des lies ottomanes dans les regions des Balcans' the same Art. VII. says: 'Description of the statement made to me

Samed as Chevalier.

Special Cable Despatch to This Sto.

Apais, Oct. 25.—Among the names in conductive to the whole of the Halkan peritual is Letter. Sweenly, an American member of the Foreign Ledge, and the hist few whole in the time with control and the hist few whole in the time of the Halkan peritual is Letter. Sweenly, an American member of the Foreign Ledge, and the hist few whole in the time with control and the hist few weeks to fake military service." It adds: "He was service Prance." It adds: "He was serviced prance." It adds: "He wa

to compensation for the purposes object to Italy's proposed action ttortion."

impossibility of his retaining control of foreign affairs in addition to the Premiership. He knows best whether the thange in the Cabinet caused by M. Count Berchtold subordinates the acceptable of Arti-

"As a matter of fact, this general statement does not clearly and definitely settle the nature and value of compensation in all cases, nor their relation to the perils and immeasurable sacrifices to which this war might expose us; perbeen killed in action. He was 24 years to which this wars might expose us; per-old and had won the Military Cross of its and immense sacrifices which are the Legion of Honor. He was with the Thirty-second Artillery. greater than those to which our allies are exposing themselves. This enormous difference between the perils and sacrifices on the one hand and the advantages on the other is, in fact, the very reason why Austria-Hungary desired a war which she could easily have avoided whereas we did all in our power to save Europe from this fearful mis-

to save Europe from this fearful mis-Then follows the text of the Italian

SMITH'S ISLAND

Oysters are now for sale at all First-class Hotels, Restaurants and Clubs.

"This is the first time since the con-clusion of the Triple Alliance that a general alignment of the nations is in progress. Were Italy to remain on the side of her allies an opportunity would offer for the realization of her far

fact that a participation in the war would involve Italy in sacrifices and expose her to dangers, but we cannot agree with the opinion expressed that these sacrifices and dangers would be greater than those we have to face. Though Italy may be exposed to very dangerous attacks by the British and French navies, even the most fatal issue of such an engagement would not endanger her territorial integrity and her existence. On the other hand, most important ad-vantages would accrue to Italy in the event of victory: predominance in the western Mediterranean and the first place among the Latin nations."

Foreseeing that Italy's demand for compensation would have reference to the Trentino and the Adriatic coast Count Berchtold in a telegram to Prince zu Hohenlohe, Ambassador at Berlin, dated August 23, 1914, says:

Concessions at Others' Expense. "You will further inform the Under

ning "should, however, the status quo in the region of the Balkans." A telegram from Count Berchtold to Ambassador response of others, should she remain new parts and says, in part:

"We must consider the possibility that the Royal Italian Government in case of warlike complications between us and Servia will endeavor to interpret Article VII. of the Triple Alliance troaty in a way which would conform neither with the sense nor with the wording of it, and that it will claim to the front again. Italy had her eyes on the strip of Adriatic coast territory and apparently was afraid that Greece bassador hints on how to meet the possibility would forestall her there. Baron Macchio; the necessity, which bassador hints on how to meet the pos- would forestall her there. Baron Macchie sible Italian moves in the diplomatic reports a conversation he had with Secretary-General de Martino of the Rome Foreign Office, in a telegram to Count Berchtold, which says:

"I had a conversation yesterday wit

This shows how eager the German General Staff is to announce a victory before winter makes the task far more difficult."

Italy's attitude was given in a note delivered to Ambassador von Merey by the above of Albania in conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the King's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the king's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the king's appeal for recruits and the conformity with our that when the conformity with the conformity with the conformity with the co

of extortion."

Long telegrams followed between the Poreign Offices of Rome and Vienna regarding the words "les regions des Balcans," until Germany, still hoping for the active support of Italy, practically forced Austria to accept the Italian interpretation. This Austria did, with the proviso, however, that Italy should "fuffil her duties as an ally in accordance with Article III. of the Treaty of the Triple Alliance," which is given as follows:

This cocupation and the Italian interpretation. This Austria did, with the proviso, however, that Italy should a series of diplomatic exchanges which shed a flood of light on the internal situation in Italy at the time and review of the Triple Alliance," which is given as follows:

The carried repreted capture of James Bach, an American in the French flying corps, shows that a certain brotherly feeling levistation on the Austrian frontier, an explanation of which was demanded by the Vienna Government, gave rise to a series of diplomatic exchanges which shed a flood of light on the internal situation in Italy at the time and revealed what Austria considers to have been Italy's reason for entering the large to the French flying corps, shows that a certain brotherly feeling levistation on the Austrian frontier.

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out direct provocation on and be engaged in war with two or several great Powers not signatory to this treaty, the casus feederis shall apply simultaneously to all the high contracting parties.

Count Berchtold in a telegram to the Austrian Ambassador in Rome said:

"The Marchese di San Giuliano first of all states that the German military of all states that the German military attache had greatly exaggerated the military preparations made by Italy on Three reasons had tention of the people away from affairs and filling their minds with the idea of the realization of their national aspirations by war.

Count Berchtold in a telegram to the Count Berchtold in a telegram to the had been connected. There the note was changes, saying:

"Such alterations would unquestionably be a serious event at the present moment. There should be nothing to trouble the public mind, but as there is evidence that a certain disquietude exists, it is preferable to apply a remedy openly to weakly allowing the people's sixte of mind to become worse.

"Puts Onus on Austria.

The Marchese di San Giuliano first of all states that the German military preparations made by Italy on all her frontiers. Three reasons had of the same escaderille, who is restricted to the camp with which Bach apply simultaneously to all the high apply simulta public opinion, the necessity of preserving order at home, and finally the impossibility of otherwise keeping in check the thousands of Italian labels of the control of th

Keeping Idle in Check.

"The Minister then also referred to the serious perplexity which hundreds of thousands of unemployed workmen were causing to staly. The emigration to Argentina, which usually sets in in September, would be impossible this year; uncounted laborers are stream-ing back from other countries and many factories in Italy have been obliged to shut down or at least to reduce their output. It is a serious matter to keep in check these people, among whom many turbulent elements are to be found; as far as I could understand him, the military measures up to data were to a great extent connected with declaration of neutrality, which has been already made public.

Count Berchtold did not disguise his dissection of calling all these people to

When Austria had actually invaded Scrbia, occupied Belgrade, appointing there a military Governor, and Italian troops had landed in Aviona, each side being thus in a position to present a fait accompli to the other, bringing the negotiations between Vienna and Rome to a perilous point, the Kaiser sent Prince von Buelow to Rome to act as an intermediary in a last effort to prean intermediary in a last effort to pre-vent an open break between Italy and the Dual Monarchy. The results of Prince von Buclow's

annoyunce at this stand of Italy. In a telegram to the Austrian Ambassador at Rome he said:

"I replied to the Duke of Avarna that I considered this decision as hardly friendly on the part of Italy, that it is un attitude not in accord with the treaty of the Triple Alliance and that as Germany has been assailed by Russia and France was siding with Russia, the oc-

friendly on the part of Italy, that it is un attitude not in accord with the treaty of the Triple Alliance and that as Germany has been assailed by Russia and France was siding with Itussia, the occasion for applying the terms of the treaty was plain.

"Aside from these circumstances I should define it as an extremely unwise policy on the part of Italy to separate herself from her ailles at such a momentous time in the history of the guelow from Rome. They referred to his conversations with Baron Sonnino and Glolitti on Italy's attitude toward "The German Ambassador, in con-formity with his instructions, to-day read to me two long reports by Prince Buelow from Rome. They referred to his conversations with Baron Sonnino and Giolitti on Italy's attitude toward the Dual Monarchy.
"The contents of these reports may be condensed as follows:
"Both the Italian statesmen reaffirm

side of her allies an opportunity would offer for the realization of her far reaching aspirations, such as the acquirement of Tunisia, Savoy and so on; should she detach herself then she would receive mothing."

In a further telegram relating to the dangers Italy would face by cooperation with the central Powers Count Berchtold says:

"We will not question the self-evident fact that a participation in the war would involve Italy in sacrifices and expose her to dangers, but we cannot agree with the opinion expressed that these sacrifices and dangers would be greater than those we have to face. Though their friendly attitude toward the Triple

"Moreover, the general situation in Italy should be remembered; the pro-found irritation, the inability of the dynasty to maintain its throne if Italy should fail to obtain territorial advanand the consequent necessity of making

preparations for war.

'The Trentino was named as the territorial compensation, with a hint that many considered this as insufficient, as their aspirations extended even to

"With particular reference to the cession of the Trentino I deemed it neces-sary to draw Von Tschirschky's attention to the fact that it appeared very doubtful whether even in this manner a guarantee could be obtained that Italy

ternal situation; the necessity, which was equally ours, of supporting the existing order in Italy and not exposing war was declared on that day.

King Making Thorough Tour Mallory Cotton Ship, Bound

common interest in the continued existence of Ambassador von Mercy by the chief of the bureau of foreign affairs at Rome, which contains the following paragraph:

"The provisions of Article VII. present, in our next, one of the main points upon which the Vriple Alliance rosts, and which have even been conducive to the continued existence of Albania in conformity with our ence of Albania in conformity with the King's appeal for recruits mann an

follows:

If one or two of the high contracting parties should be attacked without direct provocation on their part, and be engaged in war with two or several great Powers not signatory to this trace.

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sequence of the state of war.

"With regard to the attitude of the Italian press the Marchese di San Guliano refers to his endeavor to induce it to remain impartial. His influence, however, is small, as the greater part of the press is not subsidized.

Special Cable Despate to The Sex.

Paris, Oct. 25.—Raymond Swoboda, who was released after having been long held under suspicion as a spy, has appealed to the American Embassy here to save him from enforcement of the extension of the extension edict, signed Saturday. The edict is to become effective toward the edict is to become effective toward the control of the press is not subsidized.

A Russian destroyer attacked two German steamships, but missed.

Special Cable Despate to The Sex.

London, Oct. 25.—The Official Press Bureau announces that passports are edict is to become effective toward the edict is to become effective toward the control of this week. The embassy has appeared to the extension of the extens end of this week. The embassy has essential for all persons desiring taken up the case.

standards.

Not only would the Anglo-French efforts collapse completely but the main-tenance of the Triple Alliance on prin-ciples adapted to the modified situation point to an existing and acceptable basis for the conclusion of an agreement in-stead of talking of an empty willingness to discuss the principle of compensa-

ITALIANS CAPTURE

RIVA-MAGO ROAD

Austrian Attacks on Positions

in Monte Nero Zone Are

Repulsed.

FIRING ON CARSO PLATEAU

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

Rome, Oct. 25 .- The following official

ommunication was given out to-night:

In the zone between Lake Garda

and the Adige our troops descended

Mago mountain on October 24 under

the enemy's artillery fire from the

Riva forts, investing positions on

Doszogazina and Dossoromit, com-

pleting with the heights of Prentonico

and Crosano, invested on October 18 and 19, the capture of the high road

from Riva to Mago. Arms and other munitions were found in the trenches

of the enemy.

During last night the enemy thrice

attacked our new positions in the up-per Rienz Valley, but was repulsed. In the Fella Valley there have been

new successful incursions. Lusnitz has been burned. In the Monte Nero zone yesterday

our positions on Mrzli were attacked, but the enemy was repulsed, leaving

trenchment called Prasadia Ruta. The

enemy's counter attack was repulsed.

On the Carso plateau there was in

tense artillery action throughout the day against our lower Isonzo bat-teries. Serious fires in the neighbor-

BATTLE STILL ON.

Vienna Reports Fierce Attacks

Against Goritz Defences,

VIENNA, via London, Oct. 25 .- The

following official statement regarding the operations on the Italian front was

The official Austrian statement fol-

Infantry attacks conducted yesterday

with unprecedented bitterness included also attacks against the bridgehead at

Goerz (Gorizia). All the enemy's at-

tacks collapsed before the tenacious resistance of our brave infantry, who

were splendidly assisted by formidable

artillery. The enemy suffered terrible

The main Italian attack was accom-

eaus of Vilgreuth and Lafraun were

Against the Mrzlivrh front, to and

including the bridgehead at Tolmino, the Italians are still making desperate

twenty-seven prisoners.

hood of Duino were caused.

issued here to-day:

tions regarding the cession of part of Tyrol and other parts of Austrian ter-ritory to Italy, as recounted in the series of documents issued by Austria, agree in the main with the statements given out by Italy.

Austria's Final Offer.

After the denunciation of the Triple ast Austria redoubled her efforts to reach an agreement and avoid war. The question at issue between the two The question at issue between the two countries then was Italy's demand for the "immediate cession" of the terri-tories conceded by Austria. To offset this Count Berchtold authorized the Austrian Ambassador to make the following proposal as the extreme limit of concessions which we might still

consider: 1. The entire Tyrol of Italian nationality.
2. The entire western bank of the Isonzo of Italian nationality, includ-

ing Gradisca.
3. Complete municipal autonomy Italian university, a free port Trieste, which will be a free city. 4. Valona.
5. Complete disinterestedness of

Austria-Hungary in Albania.

6. Guarantee for the national interests of Italian inhabitants of Austriamands which Italy may yet propose in connection with the entirety of the questions which form the object of

the negotiations (especially Goricla

and the Islands). 8. Germany assumes full responsibility for the correct and faithful execution of the agreement to be con-cluded between Austria-Hungary and

After some discussion on the wording of an eventual agreement, Baron Macchio sent to the Austrian Foreign Minister a telegram dated May 23, th final paragraph of which reads:
"All my endeavors to continue the the obvious difficulties of Italy's in-the obvious difficulties of Italy's in-discussion were met with the ever re-ternal situation; the necessity, which

LINER COLORADO AFIRE; **CREW OF 38 RESCUED**

for New York, Will Be a Total Loss.

NORFOLK, Va., Oct. 25 .- The Mallory Line steamer Colorado, bound to New York with a cargo of cotton, caught

"Prisoners Well." Says German

Message; "Thanks," Reply.

PARIS, Oct. 25.—A sequel to the received a bandoned the ship and were centry reported capture of James Bach, an American in the French flying corps, shows that a certain brotherly feeling exists among the rival aviators who daily try to kill one another thousands

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Trust Company, is the provisional presi-dent and V. L. Seaman of the same SWEDES RAISE MARINE RATES. institution is secretary.

Double on Vessels for Germany—tobacco man; S. T. Morgan, president of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company, and many other prominent business men and bankers.

COPENHAGEN, VIA London, Oct. 2 Swedish marine underwriters have raised canada's war losses 15,197.

doubled.

No submarine attacks on German shipping have been reported in the last few days, but it is supposed that the sailings of vessels between Sweden and Germany have been suspended.

A German naval convoy which was due on October 22 has not arrived and may have been sunk by a British sub-

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Accidentally killed, 2 officers, 38 me It is assumed, says the official report, that most of the 1.032 officers and men reported missing were killed in battle which means that altogether about 3,500 officers and men have been killed in ac-tion. Of the 19,117 officers and men wounded, about 4,000 have returned to the front.

WIRELESS PHONE IS STOPPED. U. S. to Paris Tests Discontinued. as Army Needs Eiffel Tower. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

Paris, Oct. 25.—Wireless telephone experiments have been discontinued for the present, owing to the difficulty of securing the Eliffel Tower exclusively even for half an hour. Attempts to talk again last night were unsuccessful on account of the fog and the heavy static pressure. The transmitting apparatus will not be installed in the tower until pressure. The transmitting apparatus will not be installed in the tower until after the war. 5,000 Belgian Civilians Slain.

2.621 Officers and Men Killed or

Died of Wounds.

OTTAWA, Ontario, Oct. 25 .-- Canadia:

casualties from the beginning of the war

London, Oct. 25 -- The Germans have killed 1.359 Belgiar civilians in Liege province and 5,000 throughout Belgium since the war began, according to an estimate published in the Echo de Belge

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violent attacks were made from Vodil summit against our Zatolin-Mrzli lines, Special Cable Desputch to Tue St. ROME, Oct. 25 .- Austrian acropinges the enemy being partially successful. Later our Alpine troops recaptured the lost trenches and took seventy prisropped ten bombs in two attacks on Venice last night. It was announ to-day that the Chiesa Degli Scalei & damaged and several buildings were on fire. Nobody was injured. Anot last night. It oners. The enemy's dead totalled 302. In the Plava zone yesterday we dis-lodged the Austrians from an inttack was made this morning. The ceiling in the church, with its targe fresco by Tiopolo, was destroyed ast night. Incendiary bombs struck the

Piazza di San Marco also, The Italian War Office issued the following statement this afternoon: Enemy aeroplanes made two at tacks separated by a short interval upon Venice last night, throwing many bombs, some of which were incendiary The first attack was at about 19

o'clock.
One bomb fell on the roof of Degli

Scalzi Church. It crushed the certing which was ornamented with beautiful sculpture of Tiepolo, An incendiary bomb fell upon the piazzett of the Cathedral of St. Mark, it front of the Ducal Palace, without doing any damage. Five other bombs fell either in canals or upon places in the city where only slight damage was produced. The aeroplane returned at about 11 o'clock. One bomb fell in the court of

an almshouse and set fire to piles of wood. Two other bombs exploded without doing any damage. No on-The War Office announced to-night Austrian aeroplanes at 8:40 o'clock this morning again dropped bombs upon Venice. Slight material damage

panied by attacks by strong forces against the Tyrolean front. The plawas done. Austrian aviators on May 29 dropped a large number of bombs on Venue, causing extensive fires and an explosion held under severe artillery firing. Several Italian divisions are attacking the Dolomite front. Here yesterday and the day before yesterday one attack each against Bamberger Huette and Coldilan, from Tresassi two attacks against Rufedo, southwest of Schluderbach, and four attacks each against our in enorth of the village of Suef and the Popena Valley were bloodily repulsed. Napoleon were removed to a place of safety on June 2. On August 26 eral bombs were dropped with

DUMBA SAYS HE HELD ALOOF On the Carinthian front here there Ex-Envoy Denies, However, Pel-

were only artillery combats and skir-mishes. In the Flitsch Valley the enemy yesterday undertook isolated low Voyagers Shunned Him. Berlin, via Amsterdam, Oct. 25 Constantin T. Dumba, late Aust Hungarian Ambassader to the efforts, especially against the height west of St. Lucia, which is continually attacked. Here their Alpine troops eview the causes which necessitated



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